

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:** Henricus G. R. MAAS et al.

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**For:** A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR BONDING TWO PLATE-SHAPED OBJECTS

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**Amendment**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2007, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

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**Remarks** being on page 4.